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Intended Recipient	Project Name	Purpose	Location	Amount Requested by Organization	Justification (provided by the intended recipient)
A Child is Missing, Inc.	A Child is Missing-Iowa	to assist law enforcement agencies in the first few hours a child or an elderly adult is reported missing	statewide	\$150,000	Many local law enforcement offices have limited resources and manpower to conduct searches. The program will help save lives and reduce the time and costs associated with finding missing individuals.
Boys and Girls Home and Family Services, Inc.	Midwestern Trauma Services Network Project	to serve traumatized children and adolescents by working in collaboration with state and local service systems	Sioux City	\$522,000	This project will serve as a national model for youth trauma services. Funding will bring Trauma Informed Care programming in the form of national and international best practices to agencies across Iowa.
City of Cedar Rapids	Police Safety Equipment and Communications	to acquire police safety equipment and communications upgrades	Cedar Rapids	\$3,000,000	Funding will improve safety in the community and increase the efficiency and effectiveness of the police force by providing a reliable and interoperable communications network for the police officers and first responders of Cedar Rapids, Marion and Linn County Iowa.
Des Moines Area Community College	Electronic Crime Institute	to expand digital forensics training, equipment, and training services at state and local Iowa law enforcement agencies	Ankeny	\$727,000	This project is a direct response to police agency needs for up to date digital forensics training. Training will be delivered in multiple states and available to law enforcement officials nationwide.
Heartland Family Service, Inc.	Southwest Iowa Methamphetamine Treatment Program	to provide a clinically managed residential service for women who are substance abuse patients, using Heartland Family Service's residential treatment and counseling facilities	Council Bluffs	\$600,000	This project furthers the responsibility of the federal government to help prevent juvenile delinquency and crime, and discourage substance abuse. The federal government is closely involved in the effort to prevent use of methamphetamine. This program changes lives and prevents crime, and offers a model for the entire nation.
Iowa Central Community College	Law Enforcement Training Center	to continue providing law enforcement and first responder training across the state of Iowa, bringing the training to the law officer and first responder in a timely and convenient manner	Fort Dodge	\$280,000	The center helps the Bureau of Justice and other federal agencies meet the training needs they know is needed since 9/11, and that a majority of law enforcement need additional training and equipment all across the nation. In fact, due to this training center and the federal funding, Iowa leads the nation in law enforcement training. This training center is nationally significant because it is a model of how to get training done in a cost-effective and convenient manner.

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Iowa Department of Corrections	Mental Health Services for Drug Courts	to provide mental health treatment for dual-diagnosed drug court clients in all eight judicial districts.	Des Moines	\$600,000	This project will (1) protect public safety; (2) reduce victimization; (3) reduce long-term criminal justice system cost burdens on the taxpayers; and (4) help mentally ill offenders reclaim their lives and become independent, contributing members of the community.
Iowa State Patrol	Digital Video Camera/Computer Upgrade	to maintain the functionality of its Video Cameras and in-car computer systems	Des Moines	\$1,500,000	Iowa has an Interstate system, I-80 and I-35 which are the crossroads of the Nation. Both of these Interstate systems are used on a daily basis for Criminal Activity. Keeping our Computers and our Camera systems up to date are critical for assisting with the prosecution of individuals who use our highways for criminal activity.
Iowa State University	Forensic Science Testing and Evaluation Laboratory	to identify effective methods and evaluate emerging technologies for improving the practice of forensic science within the criminal justice system through training, analysis, and business and information management	Ames	\$3,000,000	In tough financial times, individual state and local agencies that will benefit from this work will never make the choice to test and innovate at the expense of salary dollars at their agency. Yet this is the way that innovations will occur that will improve the processes that are used by a number of public-sector agencies. Getting these agencies to do things better, cheaper, and more quickly will improve the safety of taxpayers while reducing the costs of crime lab services. These methods and resources are then shared by us between hundreds of jurisdictions in ways that would be impossible if not funded federally.
Iowa State University	ISEAGE: Internet-Scale Event and Attack Generation Environment	to provide the means to test new products, prevent cyber attacks, and solve crimes	Ames	\$500,000	The cyber infrastructure is one of the most critical resources this nation has and it is under constant attack. ISEAGE will help the nation better understand cyber attacks and cyber security and will help the nation become better prepared for cyber attacks.
Johnson County	Mobile Incident Command Vehicle	to purchase a vehicle that would be a multi use mobile incident command center and a tactical emergency response vehicle	Iowa City	\$125,000	Having a mobile command/response vehicle puts the command staff at a central location for on-scene communication, the ability to have instantaneous mobile GIS capabilities, along with a secure place to allow for the formulation of planning with outside resources while directly monitoring the scene.

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State Office of Drug Control Policy	Meth and Other Drug Enforcement Teams (MODE)	to work within the coordinated framework of Drug Task Forces statewide, focusing primarily on illegal and problematic methamphetamine trafficking and responding to meth lab incidents	Des Moines	\$1,500,000	Large amounts of methamphetamine smuggled into Iowa, combined with domestic meth labs, fuel one of the nation's highest rates of methamphetamine abuse. In 2009, Iowa meth labs were up 44.4% from 2007. This problem is shared nationally, and requires a shared response.
State Office of Drug Control Policy	Drug Intercept Squads	to curb the flow of large shipments of methamphetamine and other illegal drugs into/through Iowa via highways, interstates, rail systems, bus lines, and postal/shipping services	Des Moines	\$500,000	Large amounts of highly addictive methamphetamine smuggled into Iowa from the south, combined with domestic meth labs, fuel one of the nation's highest rates of methamphetamine abuse in Iowa. This problem is shared nationally, and requires a shared response.
State Office of Drug Control Policy	Drug Endangered Children Program	to foster development of, and collaboration among, local providers for removal, treatment, and referral of drug endangered children, who are put at risk due to their parent's or guardian's drug use	Des Moines	\$300,000	Drug-endangered children are susceptible to neglect or abuse when parents use meth and other drugs. Children whose parents abuse drugs may abuse drugs themselves, continuing the cycle of abuse. This problem is shared nationally, and requires a shared response.
State Office of Drug Control Policy	Reducing Underage Drinking	to award up to twenty-five mini-grants of \$10,000 to local anti-drug coalitions to develop and implement prevention strategies to address underage drinking in their communities	Des Moines	\$250,000	Alcohol abuse and dependency are major public health problems, carry enormous cost, place heavy demands on the health care system, and increase public safety threats. Reducing underage drinking will reduce the concerns for all Americans.
Polk County	Jail Diversion Program	to reduce the number of jail days and recidivism for persons with mental illness by increasing staff and community support	Des Moines	\$150,000	By providing proper treatment to inmates with mental health problems, communities will be safer.
Sioux City Police Department National Training Center	National Training Center	to provide no cost training to law enforcement officials in the area of methamphetamine and narcotics investigation	Sioux City	\$1,000,000	The National Training Center began 12 years ago with the mission of providing methamphetamine related training on a regional level. With law enforcement training budgets tight, demand quickly grew. Nationwide access was granted and to date over 23,000 officials from 40 states received training.

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Visiting Nurses Association	Child Abuse Prevention Program	to provide for a child abuse and neglect prevention program, through home visitation to new families and their infants in Council Bluffs and Pottawattamie County	Council Bluffs	\$244,000	Child abuse and neglect is a major problem and a higher propensity is often linked with an increased rate of poverty and crime. Moreover, it is expensive (and traumatic for the child/family) to investigate child abuse reports and remove the child from the home. Funding will help reduce child abuse, improve childhood outcomes, and save taxpayer funding.
University of Iowa	Center for Flood Research and Education	to establish a National Center for Flood Research and Education	Iowa City	\$900,000	Of all natural disasters, floods have the greatest human, economic, and environmental impact. Recent floods in the Mississippi and Sacramento Valleys, New England, and elsewhere have adversely affected the lives of thousands of individuals and caused enormous damage. This level of loss and destruction is repeated nearly every year in a different community in our nation, yet we have still not learned to effectively respond to floods.
University of Northern Iowa	National Institute for Early Mathematics and Science Education	to improve early childhood science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (EC-STEM) education through research, professional development, and dissemination	Cedar Falls	\$750,000	This project will increase the knowledge and skills of early childhood educators in science and math education, enabling them to lay a foundation that will lead to increased math and scientific literacy for all students.
University of Northern Iowa	Center for Minority Youth Development	to provide programs that enhance the educational, employment, and financial development of minority youth with the goal of reducing the number of youth who come into contact with Black Hawk County Juvenile Court	Cedar Falls	\$852,000	The Center for Minority Youth Development will create successful models for reducing disproportionate minority contact with the juvenile court system and for university-community collaboration, which can be shared broadly for replication across the state and beyond.
Zero to Three	Des Moines Court Team for Maltreated Infants and Toddlers	to increase awareness about the negative impact of abuse and neglect on very young children and changes local systems to improve outcomes and prevent any further court involvement of maltreated children	Des Moines	\$300,000	The Court Team approach promotes better long-term developmental outcomes for maltreated infants and toddlers, which has the potential to reduce future costs to the federal, state, and local governments that are associated with negative life outcomes.

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